

HOUSE AMENDMENT NO. ____
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Offered By

AMEND House Amendment No. ____ to House Committee Substitute for Senate Substitute for Senate Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 724, Page 2, Line 34, by inserting after all of said line the following:

"Further amend said bill, Page 35, Section 473.742, Line 84, by inserting after all of said section and line the following:

"575.095. 1. A person commits the offense of tampering with a judicial officer if, with the purpose to harass, intimidate or influence a judicial officer in the performance of such officer's official duties, such person:

(1) Threatens or causes harm to such judicial officer or members of such judicial officer's family;

(2) Uses force, threats, or deception against or toward such judicial officer or members of such judicial officer's family;

(3) Offers, conveys or agrees to convey any benefit direct or indirect upon such judicial officer or such judicial officer's family;

(4) Engages in conduct reasonably calculated to harass or alarm such judicial officer or such judicial officer's family, including stalking pursuant to section 565.225 or 565.227[-];

(5) Disseminates through any means, including by posting on the internet, the judicial officer or the judicial officer's family's personal information.

2. A judicial officer for purposes of this section shall be a judge or commissioner of the state or federal court, arbitrator, special master, juvenile officer, deputy juvenile officer, state prosecuting or circuit attorney, state assistant prosecuting or circuit attorney, ~~[juvenile court commissioner,]~~ state probation or parole officer, or referee.

3. A judicial officer's family for purposes of this section shall be:

(1) Such officer's spouse; or

(2) Such officer or such officer's spouse's ancestor or descendant by blood or adoption; or

(3) Such officer's stepchild, while the marriage creating that relationship exists[-]; or

(4) "Personal information" for purposes of this section includes a Social Security number, federal tax identification number, checking and savings account numbers, credit card numbers, marital status, and identity of a child under eighteen years of age.

4. The offense of tampering with a judicial officer is a class D felony. However, if a violation of this section results in death or bodily injury to the judicial officer or a member of the judicial officer's family, the offense shall be a class B felony.

Action Taken _____ Date _____

1 Section 1. 1. A person commits the offense of tampering with an election official if, with the
2 purpose to harass or intimidate an election official in the performance of such official's official
3 duties, such person:

4 1) Threatens or causes harm to such election official or members of such election official's
5 family;

6 (2) Uses force, threats, or deception against or toward such election official or members of
7 such election official's family;

8 (3) Attempts to induce, influence, or pressure an election official or members of an election
9 official's family to violate state law or the Constitution;

10 (4) Engages in conduct reasonably calculated to harass or alarm such election official or such
11 election official's family, including stalking pursuant to section 565.225 or 565.227;

12 (5) Disseminates through any means, including by posting on the internet, the personal
13 information of an election official or any member of an election official's family. For purposes of
14 this section, "personal information" includes a Social Security number, federal tax identification
15 number, checking and savings account numbers, credit card numbers, marital status, or identity of a
16 child under eighteen years of age.

17 2. For the purposes of this section, the term "election official" includes election judges,
18 challengers, watchers, and other volunteers or employees of an election authority. The offense of
19 tampering with an election official shall be a class D felony. If a violation of this section results in
20 death or bodily injury to an election official or a member of the official's family, the offense shall be
21 a class B felony."; and'; and

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23 Further amend said bill by amending the title, enacting clause, and intersectional references
24 accordingly.

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26 THIS AMENDMENT AMENDS 4303H05.29H.